

THE EVENING STAR.

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The Evening Star has a regular, permanent home side circulation more than twice that of any other daily paper published in Washington, and its circulation is greater than that of all the other daily papers here added together.

Advertisements will serve their own purpose best, and at the same time greatly accommodate the Star, if they will send in before noon to-morrow their advertisements for the extra large edition of Saturday's paper, the forms of which must be sent to press much earlier than on the other five days of the week.

The tariff bill presented to the full committee of ways and means yesterday is designed to reduce the annual revenue of the government somewhat more than \$20,000,000. The proposed provision of all sections of the tariff reformers is to obtain as great a reduction as can be secured without injury to the national revenue of the government.

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INTERESTING TO LADIES ONLY.

FANCY GOODS DEPARTMENT.

Metalline ornaments, such as COV BELLS, GIPSY KETTLES, REQUIS, LANTERNS, &c.

PIN CUSHIONS ready for cover.

TISSUE, only 5 cents per yard.

SILK BALLS as low as 14 cents; from that up to \$1.50.

APPLIQUE FLOUNDER.

MILKING AND OTHER CORDS.

FRIMERS AND GIMPS.

EMBROIDERY CANVAS.

SILK AND FELT SCARFS.

CHINA SILKS, all colors, plain and fancy.

BANYAN ROBES.

ARTIFICIAL FLOWERS.

BAG KINGS.

SILK CHENILLE.

SLIM AND FINEST CASES.

SLIMMER ROBES.

TAPERED BODICINGS.

FLUMED AND MARTEL DRAPELERS.

FLUMED TABLE SCARFS.

FELT LAMBRQUINS by the yard.

Elegant line of REAL MADRAS, in plain and fancy colors, from 25 cents per yard up to 95 cents; fringes to match.

REMARKABLE JAPANESE SQUARES.

FRENCH VELVET SQUARES.

ARTIFICIAL FRUIT.

TINSEL DRESS AND BUTTERFLIES.

We have the most complete stock of Fancy Goods to be had in the city, at Dry Goods prices, which means a big saving on the regular prices.

NEW IDEAS.

WOOD SPLASHES and BANNER ROBES, all colors, at 20 cents, complete.

CARPET SWEEPERS, \$1.98.

Arrival of Spring Goods for Season 1888.

Dress Goods in all the New Fabrics.

Staples in all the Different Colors.

Chintzes in all colors.

White Goods in Plain and Fancy.

Silks and Satins in New Shades.

The grandest stock of Dress Trimmings ever shown by us.

SPRING INNOVATION IN LADIES' AND GENTS' TRIMMINGS.

Such a line of Embroideries and Laces as would astound the average shopper.

SOAP AND PERFUMERIES.

This is a handsome department with us, at all times kept stocked with reliable soap and perfumery of all kinds of Scent, Tooth and Face Powders, all kinds of Perfumes, Aniseed, Rosemary, Cedar, Sponges, Champagne, all at Dry Goods prices.

THE LARGEST STORE IN WASHINGTON.

420, 422, 424, 426 7th St., 417, 419 8th St.

SPRING STYLES IN HEADGEAR.

"RATHER EARLY TO TALK OF SPRING STYLES," YOU'LL SAY. WELL, IT WOULD BE WERE IT ANY OTHER PART OF A MAN'S OUTFIT, BUT THE WINTER SEASON IS PARTICULARLY HARD ON HATS, AND THEY SHOW UP BADLY VERY EARLY.

AND NO WONDER, THEY'RE BEEN CRAMMED INTO PIGEON-HOLES CALLED HAT-BOXES EVERY TIME A BALL IS GIVEN OR A RECEPTION HELD. THEY'VE BEEN CRUSHED UNDER THE ATTER SEATS TWO OR THREE TIMES A WEEK, AND THEY'VE BEEN BANGED AROUND GENERALLY, SO THAT THE EARLY ARRIVAL OF SPRING STYLES IS ALWAYS HAILED WITH PLEASURE BY MEN WHO DRESS WELL.

ALWAYS AHEAD—THE LEAD BEING GENERALLY ACKNOWLEDGED—OUR PROPER PLACE—WE ARE NOW PREPARED TO SHOW YOU THE ADVANCE STYLES OF SPRING HATS—AND BEAUTIES THEY ARE. THE DIFFERENCE IN THE SHAPE OF HATS FROM SEASON TO SEASON IS NOT VERY PRONOUNCED, BUT SUFFICIENTLY SO FOR MEN WHO FOLLOW STYLE TO AT ONCE RECOGNIZE A NEW CURVE OF THE BRIM, A LATE PITCH OF THE CROWN, AND MANY MINOR DETAILS, SUCH AS THE DEPTH OF BAND, THE WIDTH OF BINDING, ETC., ETC. IT IS, IN FACT, THE NUMEROUS SMALL-AND APPARENTLY TRIFLING—DETAILS THAT PRODUCE THE NEW AND ROUNDED WHOLE. OUR HAT BUYER—THE BEST IN THE BUSINESS—HAS BEEN AWAY FOR THE PAST SIX WEEKS SUPERINTENDING THE MAKING UP OF OUR SPRING STOCK. HE IS A TERROR TO THE MANUFACTURERS. HE INSISTS ON THE SMALLEST DETAIL RECEIVING AT THEIR HANDS THE MOST CAREFUL ATTENTION, BUT WHEN, AS TO-MORROW MORNING, WE PLACE THE RESULTS OF HIS LABOR, THOUGHT, AND CARE ON OUR COUNTERS IN THE SHAPE OF ADVANCE STYLES, STYLES CANNOT BE COPIED WITHIN THE NEXT MONTH BY THOSE WHO FOLLOW IN OUR WAKE, AND THEN THEY CANNOT BUY GOODS AS TREAT DIRECTLY WITH MANUFACTURERS, SAYING ALL MIDDLEMEN'S PROFITS, WHICH WE GLADLY SHARE WITH OUR PATRONS. IN ADDITION TO THE STYLES BEING ORIGINAL, THEY ARE HANDSOME. THE SHADES ARE BEAUTIFUL. THE PRICES MORE THAN REASONABLE. STEP IN AND LOOK THEM OVER. WE'LL BE GLAD TO SHOW THEM TO YOU.

THE DUNLAP.

FIFTH AVENUE SPRING STYLES.

SILK AND DRESSY HATS INTRODUCED TO-DAY.

WILLET & RUOFF.

417 7th St. Sole Agents, 905 Penna. Ave.

FOR FINE OLD RYE WHISKY.

ALABAMA SHERRY.

IMPORTED BOTTLED AND GIN.

PORT WINE, very choice.

THE BALANCE BALTIC RYE WHISKY.

ALL GOODS AT GREATLY REDUCED PRICES.

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SPRING GOODS.

WE HAVE JUST RECEIVED THE ADVANCE STYLES OF SPRING CAMERBERS, GENTLEST, WORSTEDS, COATINGS, SUITINGS AND TROUSERS.

THREE ARE THE NEWEST PATTERNS AND COLORINGS. ALL GRADES. FROM \$20 A SUIT TO \$60.

THERE ARE QUITE A NUMBER OF NOVELTIES IN COLORING AND IN PATTERNS THIS SPRING, AND WE SHOW THE BEST AND MOST POPULAR IN THE MARKET.

ALL SHADERS, AS WELL AS ALL GRADES, ARE REPRESENTED IN OUR STOCK, AND ALL TASTES AND ALL POCKETS CAN BE SATISFIED.

WE PLAY "SECOND FIDDLE" TO NO ONE IN WASHINGTON (EXCEPT AS TO PRICES, WHICH ARE ABOUT ONE-THIRD LESS THAN THE MERCHANT TAILORS), IN THE QUANTITY, QUALITY OR STYLE OF OUR FINE-GOODS STOCK, OR IN MAKING THEM UP.

OUR GOODS ARE ALL CUT ON THE PREMISES, BY A CUTTER OF LARGE EXPERIENCE IN ONE OF THE LARGEST NEW YORK TAILORING ESTABLISHMENTS, AND WE TRY ON EVERY COAT BEFORE IT IS FINISHED, SO AS TO MAKE A FIT.

WE FEEL CONFIDENT THAT WE CAN MAKE IT TO THE ADVANTAGE OF EVERY GENTLEMAN WHO WANTS A SUIT MADE TO MEASURE TO PLACE HIS ORDER WITH US.

Extra Super LINCOLN CARPETS, 40c. per yd.

Patterns of TAPERED BRUSSELS, former price 85c., now at this sale at 50c.

ART SQUARES at 65c.; a nice line.

SMYRNA RUGS, former price \$7; now \$4.50.

Any of our \$10 SMYRNA RUGS for \$6.75.

Our Entire Stock of MADRAS MURLIN, ranging from \$1 to \$2; now at 75c. per yd.

DOTTED SWISS for Vestibule, and SASH CURTAINS 30c.; price was 60c.

We still have a fair assortment of PORTIERS and HEAVY DRAPEY which will do you out at Cent. Prices start at \$2.50 and stop at \$40. You will find some splendid things among them.

A line of SPUN SILK and TAPESTRY, for upholstery, from 65c. to \$1.35.

A lot of JAPANESE 4-FOLD SCREENS, slightly damaged, at \$2.

A lot of LACE CURTAINS, of which we have from one to three pairs of a pattern; price \$1.50 to \$3; we cut down to \$1.30 all around to make them over.

36-100 HOLLAND SHADERS, Spring Rollers, for 28c.

A MANTLE BED, with WOVEN-WIRE SPRING, \$11.50.

SOLID WALNUT, MARBLE TOP, CHAMBER SUIT, BEVEL PLATE, for \$31.50.

ANTIQUE CHAMBER SUIT, BEVEL PLATE, \$25.

FLUSH PARLOR SUIT, six pieces, for \$40.

Also several handsome ANTIQUE CHAMBER SUITS, on which we have cut the price for this sale.

We have two more ORIENTAL and TURKISH RUGS, in all sizes, left over, and do not want to keep them through the summer.

COME AND TAKE THEM AWAY AT IMPORTER'S PRICE.

BARGAINS ALL OVER THE HOUSE.

Remember you can't afford to MISS THIS CHANCE, if you are wise, and would save money.

DON'T FORGET THE DATE, MARCH 1st, 2d, AND 3d, AND BE SURE YOU GET THERE.

W. H. HOEKER.

801 MARKET SPACE.

120-34 308 AND 310 8TH STREET.

THE LAST TIME WE SHALL HAVE OCCASION TO ADVISE THIS DEPARTMENT. Read this as the funeral notice:

All \$3 and 40 Overcoats for \$2.

All \$5 and 60 Overcoats for \$2.

All \$7 and 80 Overcoats for \$2.

All \$9 and 100 Overcoats for \$2.

All \$11 and 120 Overcoats for \$2.

All \$13 and 140 Overcoats for \$2.

All \$15 and 160 Overcoats for \$2.

All \$17 and 180 Overcoats for \$2.

All \$19 and 200 Overcoats for \$2.

All \$21 and 220 Overcoats for \$2.

All \$23 and 240 Overcoats for \$2.

All \$25 and 260 Overcoats for \$2.

All \$27 and 280 Overcoats for \$2.

All \$29 and 300 Overcoats for \$2.

All \$31 and 320 Overcoats for \$2.

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All \$35 and 360 Overcoats for \$2.

All \$37 and 380 Overcoats for \$2.

All \$39 and 400 Overcoats for \$2.

All \$41 and 420 Overcoats for \$2.

All \$43 and 440 Overcoats for \$2.

All \$45 and 460 Overcoats for \$2.

All \$47 and 480 Overcoats for \$2.

All \$49 and 500 Overcoats for \$2.

All \$51 and 520 Overcoats for \$2.

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All \$59 and 600 Overcoats for \$2.

All \$61 and 620 Overcoats for \$2.

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